



Using Cartoons

Cartoons, like photographs, are images that convey meaning and information. Students can select a photograph and cartoon that focus on an issue or theme and compare and contrast them. How are they different? What can one do that the other one cannot? Students can write a short essay on their analysis of the photograph and cartoon and how as primary documents they convey information. Students can search the Internet for other sources of cartoons about the New Deal and Great Depression. A good source for cartoons is *FDR Cartoons* at <http://www.nisk.k12.ny.us/fdr/FDRcartoons.html>.